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- (2) Assignment with Recordation Cover Sheet; and
- (3) Information Disclosure Statement with PTO-1449 and cited reference(s).

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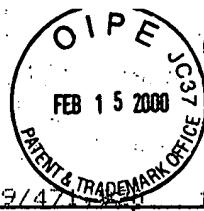
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